
**Descendants of
Peter Cropper**

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1-Peter Cropper

Peter married **Cecily Draper**. They had one son: **Edmund**.

2-Edmund Cropper

Edmund married **Anne Abbott**. They had one son: **Peter**.

3-Peter Cropper

Peter married **Sarah Cubham**,¹ daughter of **Richard Cubham**^{1,2} and **Anne**,^{1,2} in 1696. Sarah was born in 1668 in Bickersteth, Lancashire and died in 1705 at age 37. They had four children: **Thomas, Anne, John,** and **Edmund**.

Noted events in her life were:

- Miscellaneous: She was briefly disowned for her alliance with Peter Cropper.

4-**Thomas Cropper**,¹ son of **Peter Cropper**¹ and **Sarah Cubham**¹, was born in 1699 and died in 1782 at age 83.

Thomas married **Ann Wolsey**,¹ daughter of **William Woosey** and **Mary Barton**,¹ in 1731. Ann was born in 1705 and died in 1784 at age 79. They had three children: **Mary, Thomas,** and **Jane**.

5-**Mary Cropper**³ was born in 1735 and died on 24 May 1810 at age 75.

Mary married **John Ecroyd**,^{3,4} son of **Richard Ecroyd**^{3,5} and **Susannah Kailey**,^{3,5} on 22 Sep 1779 in Bolton, Lancashire. John was born on 24 Jul 1729 in Edgend, Little Marsden, Burnley, Lancashire and died on 6 Jul 1814 in Edgend, Little Marsden, Burnley, Lancashire at age 84. They had one daughter: **Ann**.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Stuff Maker & Yeoman of Edgend.

6-**Ann Ecroyd**⁶ was born on 27 Oct 1780 and died on 8 Feb 1859 in Edgend, Little Marsden, Burnley, Lancashire at age 78.

5-**Thomas Cropper**⁷ was born in 1739 and died in 1810 at age 71.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Farmer in Winstanley, Wigan.

Thomas married **Rebecca Winstanley**,⁷ daughter of **Robert Winstanley** and **Elizabeth**, in 1768. Rebecca was born in 1746 and died in 1810 at age 64. They had two children: **James** and **Margaret**.

6-**James Cropper**^{7,8,9,10} was born on 25 May 1773 in Winstanley, Wigan, died on 26 Feb 1841 in Fearnhead, Liverpool at age 67, and was buried in FBG Liverpool.

General Notes: Was one of the originators and leaders of the anti slavery movement of which Sir Thomas Fowell Buxton was the chief parliamentary champion. His grandson, John Cropper, married a younger daughter of Dr. Arnold, thus becoming brother in law to Rt. Hon. W. E. Forster, MP for Bradford who in 1850 married Jane Martha, the eldest daughter of Dr. Arnold.

Cropper, James (1773– 1840), merchant and philanthropist, was born at Winstanley, Lancashire, the son of Thomas Cropper and his wife, Rebecca, née Winstanley. The Croppers were birthright members of the Society of Friends and small-scale farmers. James, however, was sufficiently ambitious to leave home at the age of seventeen to become apprenticed to Rathbone Brothers, a Quaker enterprise and the first Liverpool merchants trading regularly with America. Here he developed considerable business acumen, to the point when he was able to establish his own mercantile house— Cropper, Benson & Co. In 1796 he married Mary Brinsmead (d. 1838). They had two sons, John and Edward, who survived them, and one daughter, who married the Quaker philanthropist Joseph Sturge of Birmingham, and died in giving birth to her first child.

Cropper's trading links were initially with Ireland and North America, but by the end of the Napoleonic wars he was importing a wide range of products, including textiles and spices from India and China. Cropper, Benson & Co. also established the first line of packets to carry mail to North America. The company engaged in common trading ventures with Rathbone Brothers, extending to the joint ownership of vessels. The story is told that when one such ship, the Bengal, was due to sail from Liverpool to Calcutta in 1814, Cropper's Quaker conscience refused to countenance the arming of the vessel, but he reconciled his fears of attack by the French with the placing of wooden cannon at the port-holes.

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Cropper, Benson & Co. proved to be a highly prosperous concern, and the wealth generated enabled Cropper to engage in a number of religious and philanthropic activities. The focus of his attention was the campaign for the abolition of slavery in the West Indies, and he addressed William Wilberforce at an early stage in the anti-slavery agitation by sending him pamphlets with a high polemical content. Cropper was incensed not only by the inhumanity and injustice of slavery but also by its economic irrationality. In the latter context, the heavy protective duties imposed on sugar imported from the Far East in order to sustain the interests of slave owners in the West Indies were the subject of his incessant attacks in the belief that once protection was removed the institution of slave labour would collapse. As an abolitionist, Cropper associated himself with the advanced wing of the anti-slavery movement, demanding immediate and unconditional extinction of what he regarded as a national crime. His activities were by no means popular in Liverpool with his fellow merchants, some of whom possessed substantial commercial interests in the West Indies. In 1823–4 he was subject to a series of attacks in the columns of the Liverpool Courier and Liverpool Mercury by Sir John Gladstone, bt, a senior partner in Corrie & Co. and himself the owner of 1609 slaves. In 1831 Cropper joined forces with his son-in-law, Joseph Sturge, to form the Young England Abolitionists, distinguished from other anti-slavery groups by its unconditional arguments and vigorous campaigning tactics.

The anti-slavery campaign did not absorb all of Cropper's energies. The poverty of the Irish peasantry also engaged his attention, even to the extent of establishing cotton mills in Ireland with a view to providing remunerative employment. In that connection he studied political economy assiduously, and as an advocate of freedom of trade campaigned publicly and successfully for the repeal of the orders in council (issued in 1807 and 1809 in reply to Napoleon's Berlin decrees) which, in damaging Liverpool's trade with the United States, adversely affected the city's prosperity. In the late 1820s Cropper became interested in the business of railway projection in the hope of improving Liverpool's internal communications. He was a founder director of the pioneering Liverpool and Manchester Railway and maintained a close interest in the company's affairs until his death.

In pursuing his philanthropic interests Cropper embarked on an educational project in the form of an agricultural school for boys, and in 1833, after a lengthy tour in Germany and Switzerland to obtain information on the subject, he built a school and orphan house on his estate at Fearnhead, near Warrington, together with a house for himself so that he could personally supervise the undertaking. He resided there until his death, occupying himself chiefly with the affairs of the school. His pen, however, was not idle, and during the last years of his life he published pamphlets on the condition of the West Indies, and especially on the inequalities of the 'negro apprenticeship' system, the sugar bounties, and other protective duties. He died in 1840 of apoplexy, and was buried in the Quaker burial-ground at Liverpool by the side of his wife, who had died two years before him. No monument marked his grave, but the house in which he lived and died at Fearnhead bore the following inscription:

In this house lived James Cropper, one, and he not the least, of that small but noble band of christian men who, after years of labour and through much opposition, accomplished the abolition of West Indian slavery; and thus having lived the life of the righteous, he died in the full assurance of faith on the 26th of Feby. 1840.

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Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Mercantile Merchant of Liverpool.
- He worked as a Director of the Liverpool and Manchester Railway.

James married **Mary Brinsdon**,^{7,8,10} daughter of **John Brinsdon**¹¹ and **Sarah Ratherham**,¹¹ in 1796. Mary was born in 1759 in Winstanley, Wigan, died on 12 Nov 1831 in Fearnhead, Liverpool at age 72, and was buried in FBG Liverpool. They had three children: **John**, **Eliza**, and **Edward**.

7-John Cropper^{7,8,10,12,13} was born on 8 Jun 1797 in Liverpool and died on 8 Nov 1874 in Liverpool at age 77.

General Notes: Of Liverpool. Features in the painting of The Anti-Slavery Society Convention, 1840, by Benjamin Robert Haydon

Noted events in his life were:

- He was a Quaker before 1840.

John married **Anne Wakefield**,^{7,8,12,13} daughter of **John Wakefield**^{8,13,14,15} and **Mary Beakbane**,^{8,13,15,16} on 11 Jan 1821 in FMH Preston Patrick, Cumbria. Anne was born on 10 Apr 1797 in Kendal, Cumbria and died on 20 Sep 1876 at age 79. They had ten children: **Mary**, **James**, **Sarah Wakefield**, **Anne**, **John Wakefield**, **John Wakefield**, **Isabella**, **Edward William**, **Isabella Eliza**, and **Margaret**.

8-Mary Cropper⁸ was born on 2 Nov 1821 in Liverpool and died on 30 Dec 1885 at age 64.

Mary married **Very Rev. John Saul Howson**⁸ on 25 Sep 1851. John died on 15 Dec 1885. They had five children: **Mary Georgina**, **George John**, **Edmund Whytehead**, **James Francis**, and **Anne Margaret**.

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General Notes: Chaplain to Bishop of Ely 1865, formerly Principal of Liverpool College. Joint Author with Rev. J. Conybeare, "Life and Epistle of St. Paul".

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at BA MA DD.
- He worked as a Dean of Chester.

9-**Mary Georgina Howson**⁸ was born on 1 Jan 1853.

9-**Rev. George John Howson**⁸ was born on 1 May 1854.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at MA Trin. Coll.
- He worked as a Vicar of Christ Church, Crewe.

George married **Ethel Dealtry**, daughter of **Ven. Archdeacon Dealtry**. They had five children: **John Dealtry, Roger Saul, Geoffrey, George Arthur, and Joan**.

10-**John Dealtry Howson**⁸ was born on 30 Dec 1880 and died in Died in Infancy.

10-**Roger Saul Howson**⁸ was born on 8 May 1882.

10-**Geoffrey Howson**⁸ was born on 14 Aug 1883.

10-**George Arthur Howson**⁸ was born on 7 Sep 1886.

10-**Joan Howson**⁸ was born on 9 May 1885.

9-**Edmund Whytehead Howson**⁸ was born on 18 Jul 1855 in Liverpool and died on 11 Dec 1905 in London at age 50.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at King's College, Cambridge.
- He worked as a Fellow of King's College in 1882.
- He worked as a Master at Harrow.

Edmund married **Agnes Butler**⁸, daughter of **Rev. Dr. Henry Montagu Butler**^{8,17} and **Georgina Isabella Elliott**, on 14 Sep 1886. Agnes was born in 1865 in Harrow, Middlesex and died on 31 Jul 1949 in Chelsea, London at age 84. They had two children: **Hugh Edmund Elliot** and **Audrey**.

10-**Hugh Edmund Elliot Howson**⁸ was born on 20 Feb 1889 and died on 17 Aug 1933 in The Alps in a climbing accident at age 44.

10-**Audrey Howson**⁸ was born on 6 Jul 1891.

9-**Rev. James Francis Howson**⁸ was born on 20 Sep 1856.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Trinity College, Cambridge.
- He worked as a Vicar of Christ Church, Chester. 1889.

9-**Anne Margaret Howson**⁸ was born on 20 Aug 1858.

8-**James Cropper**^{7,8,13} was born on 22 Feb 1823 in Duke Street, Liverpool, died on 16 Oct 1900 in 157 rue de la Pompe, Paris, France at age 77, and was buried on 20 Oct 1900 in Burneside Church,

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Kendal, Cumbria.

General Notes: Cropper, James (1823– 1900), paper manufacturer and politician, was born on 22 February 1823 in Duke Street, Liverpool, the eldest of the three surviving sons and six daughters of John Cropper (1797– 1874), merchant of Liverpool, and his wife, Anne (1797– 1876), daughter of John and Mary Wakefield of Sedgwick, Kendal. His grandfather was James Cropper (1773– 1840), philanthropist and slavery abolitionist. The family were of Lancashire Quaker yeoman stock from Bickerstaffe from at least the early seventeenth century.

Cropper passed his boyhood at the family home of Dingle Bank on the Mersey where he was introduced early to the world of letters through family connections with Lord Macaulay, whose sister Margaret (d. 1834) was the second wife of Cropper's uncle Edward Cropper (1799– 1877). After school in Liverpool he went on to Edinburgh University, where he decided against going into the family business in Liverpool in favour of paper manufacture, which he learned first with Alex Cowan & Sons at Penicuik, near Edinburgh.

At the same time Cropper made the other important decision of his career: to leave the Society of Friends and enter the Church of England. Both actions, in business and in religion, were not entirely uninfluenced by his devotion to his cousin Fanny Alison Wakefield (1825– 1868), whom he had known since childhood and to whom he was formally engaged in 1843. At her wish he was baptized and they were married at Heversham parish church, near Kendal, on 25 November 1845. Fanny was the second of four daughters and two sons of John Wakefield (1794– 1866) of Sedgwick House, Kendal, and was born at Broughton Lodge, Cartmel, on 10 April 1825. The marriage consolidated the close links with the leading banking and manufacturing family in Westmorland.

The Croppers lived near Kendal, first at the mill house adjoining the Cowen Head paper mill until after the birth of their elder daughter, Frances Anne (1846– 1934), when they moved to a new house, Ellergreen, they had built in 1847 at Burneside; there a second daughter, Mary Wakefield (1849– 1943), and a son, Charles James (1852– 1924), were born. The marriage was close and happy but cut short by the early death of Fanny on 3 February 1868. Cropper filled the gap left by this loss largely by devoting himself to a prodigious range of public service in education, religion, and politics. He built and endowed a new hospital in Kendal in her memory in 1870, later the Westmorland County Hospital.

The basis of Cropper's power and influence lay in his paper-making business, which he entered in July 1845 by leasing the Cowen Head and Burneside mills from Cornelius Nicholson. He did not gain full control until 1854, but had formed a private company in 1852 and set about expanding and modernizing the mills, aided by an increase in demand for paper and by improved transport links (the Kendal to Windermere line opened in 1847 alongside the Burneside mill and he was an influential director of the Lancaster and Carlisle Railway Company). Despite heavy losses when a fire destroyed the Burneside mill in 1886, production reached 3000 tons by the time the limited company was established in 1889 and had doubled to 6000 tons by 1900 when the firm was established as a leading paper manufacturer in the north of England.

Cropper came to exert great influence in the community, but as an arriviste in local gentry terms, though well connected, he felt it necessary to build up a landed estate to give greater substance to his social position and political interests. Over 2000 acres had been acquired by 1900, centred on Ellergreen. Under his energetic leadership he dominated every aspect of social life in the locality, providing housing for his workforce, building the new school, and influencing moral standards through the temperance movement, the Mutual Improvement Society, and the church. His strong sense of social duty was based on Christian principles, but he did not care for his leadership to be questioned. He was strongly opposed to disestablishment.

Cropper had long wished to enter parliament. His public service began early with the chairmanship of the Kendal board of guardians (1853) and as JP (1863), but as an active Liberal of great organizational ability he was an obvious potential candidate. Following the death of John Whitwell shortly after the 1880 general election, he served as the last MP for the borough of Kendal (1880– 85), but although he contested the new county division of South Westmorland in December 1885 he lost to the Conservative, Lord Bective, by 277 votes. His political position shifted in 1886 when hostility to home rule pushed him into the Liberal Unionist camp, although his respect for established authority did not sit easily with Liberal demands for change. However, his appetite for public service was undimmed when in 1889 the first Westmorland county council was elected and he became its chairman (1889– 1900) and threw himself indefatigably into the work of its committees. He also served as high sheriff of Westmorland in 1875– 6 and was a deputy lieutenant.

Cropper was ever hopeful of improving the human condition and was a tireless pamphleteer and lecturer for education and the church. Among many benefactions he founded an open scholarship at Lady Margaret Hall, Oxford. He was taken ill while visiting the Paris Exhibition and died at 157 rue de la Pompe, Paris, of acute pneumonia after four days on 16 October 1900. He was buried in Burneside churchyard beside his wife on 20 October.

Richard Hall

Noted events in his life were:

- He was awarded with DL.
- He worked as a JP for Westmorland.
- He worked as a High Sheriff of Westmorland in 1875.
- He worked as a Member of Parliament for the Borough of Kendal 1880 To 1885.
- He was a Quaker, then Church of England.
- He had a residence in Ellergreen, Kendal, Cumbria.

James married **Fanny Alison Wakefield**^{8,13} daughter of **John Wakefield**^{8,13,18} and **Fanny MacArthur**^{8,13} on 25 Nov 1845 in Heversham, Cumbria. Fanny was born on 10 Apr 1825 in Broughton Lodge, Cartmel, Cumbria, died on 3 Feb 1868 in Ellergreen, Kendal, Cumbria at age 42, and was buried in Burneside Church, Kendal, Cumbria. They had three children: **Frances Anne**, **Mary Wakefield**, and **Charles James**.

9-Frances Anne Cropper⁸ was born on 6 Jun 1847 in Cowen Head.

Frances married **Rev. John William Edward Conybeare**⁸ son of **Rev. William Conybeare**, on 29 Dec 1870 in Burneside Church, Kendal. John was born on 29 Sep 1843. They had five children:

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William James, Charles Bruce, Alfred Edward, Alison Mary, and Dorothea Frances.

General Notes: Editor of "Le Morte d'Arthur" by Sir Thomas Mallory.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Trinity College, Cambridge.
- He worked as a Vicar of Barrington in Barrington, Cambridge.

10-**William James Conybeare**⁸ was born on 19 Dec 1871.

10-**Charles Bruce Conybeare**⁸ was born on 16 Feb 1873.

10-**Alfred Edward Conybeare**⁸ was born on 25 Aug 1875.

10-**Alison Mary Conybeare**⁸ was born on 26 Mar 1879.

10-**Dorothea Frances Conybeare**⁸ was born on 18 Dec 1880.

9-**Mary Wakefield Cropper**⁸ was born on 3 May 1849 in Ellergreen, Kendal, Cumbria.

9-**Charles James Cropper**⁸ was born on 6 Jul 1852 in Ellergreen, Kendal, Cumbria and died on 6 Oct 1924 at age 72.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Trinity College, Cambridge.
- He worked as a DL for Westmorland.
- He had a residence in Tolson Hall.

Charles married **Hon. Edith Emily Holland**⁸ daughter of **Henry Thurston Holland 1st Viscount Knutsford**⁸ and **Elizabeth Margaret Hibbert**, on 3 Aug 1876. Edith was born in 1853 and died on 15 Jan 1923 at age 70. They had five children: **Eleanor Margaret, James Winstanley, Mary Frances, Margaret Beatrice, and Sybil Edith.**

10-**Eleanor Margaret Cropper**⁸ was born in 1878 and died on 12 Dec 1933 at age 55.

Eleanor married **Sir Francis Dyke Acland 10th & 14th Bt.**¹⁹ son of **Rt. Hon. Sir Arthur Herbert Dyke Acland 9th and 13th Bt.**¹⁹ and **Alice Sophia Cunningham**, on 31 Aug 1905. Francis was born on 7 Mar 1874 and died on 9 Jun 1939 at age 65. They had four children: **Richard Thomas Dyke, Arthur Geoffrey Dyke, Cuthbert "Cubby" Henry Dyke, and Eleanor Edith Dyke.**

11-**Sir Richard Thomas Dyke Acland 11th and 15th Bt.** was born on 26 Nov 1906 and died on 24 Nov 1990 at age 83.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Member of Parliament for Barnstaple in 1935-1945 in Barnstaple, Devon.

Richard married **Anne Stella Alford**, daughter of **Robert Greenwood Alford**, on 15 Apr 1936. Anne died in 1992. They had four children: **John Dyke, Robert Dyke, Henry Dyke, and William Dyke.**

12-**Sir John Dyke Acland 12th & 16th Bt.** was born on 13 May 1939 and died on 26 Sep 2009 at age 70.

John married **Virginia Forge**, daughter of **Roland Forge**. They had three children: **Dominic Dyke, Piers Dyke, and Holly Dyke.**

13-**Sir Dominic Dyke Acland 13th & 17th Bt.**

Dominic married **Sarah Anne Unwin**, daughter of **Ven. Kenneth Unwin**. They had four children: **Patrick, Florence, Finlay, and Esther.**

14-**Patrick Acland**

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14-Florence Acland

14-Finlay Acland

14-Esther Acland

13-Dr. Piers Dyke Acland

Piers married **Lucinda M. Raiman**, daughter of **Dr. John Draper Raiman**. They had three children: **Harriet**, **Alice Beatrice**, and **George Dyke**.

14-Harriet Acland

14-Alice Beatrice Acland

14-George Dyke Acland

13-Holly Dyke Acland

12-Prof. Robert Dyke Acland was born on 20 Jun 1941 and died on 6 Jan 2016 at age 74.

Robert married **Susan Maureen Sarah Wood**, daughter of **Cdr. James Wood**. They had two children: **Beatrice Maud** and **Daniel James**.

13-Beatrice Maud Acland

13-Daniel James Acland

Robert next married **Susan Ann Bishop**. They had two children: **Benjamin Thomas** and **Emily Grace**.

13-Benjamin Thomas Acland

13-Emily Grace Acland

12-Dr. Henry Dyke Acland

Henry married **Irene Norma Gatley**.

12-William Dyke Acland was born on 17 Jan 1945 and died on 22 Jan 1945.

11-Arthur Geoffrey Dyke Acland was born on 17 May 1908 and died on 14 Sep 1964 at age 56.

Arthur married **Winifred Julian Dorothy Fothergill**, daughter of **Lt. Col. Sydney Roden Fothergill** and **Winifred Gladstone**. Winifred was born in May 1911 and died in 1986 at age 75. They had six children: **Oliver Geoffrey Dyke**, **Robin Julian Dyke**, **Edward Francis Dyke**, **Rose Ellen**, **Rowland Christopher Dyke**, and **Martin Hilary Dyke**.

12-Oliver Geoffrey Dyke Acland

Oliver married **Judith Veronica Williams**. They had three children: **Peter Geoffrey Dyke**, **Francis Oliver Dyke**, and **Christopher John Dyke**.

13-Peter Geoffrey Dyke Acland

13-Francis Oliver Dyke Acland

13-Christopher John Dyke Acland was born on 6 Sep 1966 and died on 17 Oct 1996 at age 30.

12-Robin Julian Dyke Acland

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12-Edward Francis Dyke Acland

Edward married **Janet Anne Ellerington**. They had three children: **Thomas Edward Dyke**, **Florence Julian**, and **Willim John Dyke**.

13-Thomas Edward Dyke Acland

13-Florence Julian Acland

13-Willim John Dyke Acland

12-**Rose Ellen Acland** was born on 21 Aug 1944 and died on 21 Jun 1959 at age 14.

12-**Rowland Christopher Dyke Acland** was born on 14 Jun 1951 and died on 18 Jun 1953 at age 2.

12-Martin Hilary Dyke Acland

11-**Maj. Cuthbert "Cubby" Henry Dyke Acland** was born on 18 Nov 1910 and died in Feb 1979 at age 68.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Hight Sheriff of Westmorland.
- He worked as an officer of the Royal Engineers.

11-**Eleanor Edith Dyke Acland** was born on 12 Oct 1913 and died on 27 Feb 1924 at age 10.

10-**Maj. James Winstanley Cropper**⁸ was born on 4 Aug 1879 and died on 8 Nov 1956 at age 77.

James married **Marjorie Constance Bagot**, daughter of **Lt. Col. Josceline Fitzroy Bagot** and **Theodosia Leslie**, on 7 Sep 1910. Marjorie was born on 24 Mar 1888 in Marylebone and died on 15 Nov 1951 at age 63. They had seven children: **Anthony Charles**, **Rachel Marjorie**, **Mary E.**, **Anna Sybil**, **Theodosia Olive**, **Gabrielle Edith**, and **Ruth Ellen**.

11-**Anthony Charles Cropper** was born on 27 Jan 1912 and died in 1967 at age 55.

Anthony married **Phillipa Mary Gloria Clutterbuck**, daughter of **Lt. Col. Maurice Isacke Clutterbuck**, on 10 Feb 1938. Phillipa was born in 1917 and died in Nov 2009 at age 92. They had four children: **James Antony**, **Charles Richard**, **Philip Alexander**, and **Nicola Mary Gloria**.

12-Sir James Antony Cropper

12-**Charles Richard Cropper** was born on 10 Jul 1941 and died on 1 Jul 1960 at age 18.

12-Philip Alexander Cropper

Philip married **Katherine C. S. Elwes**. They had three children: **Genevieve Katherine**, **Thomas Philip**, and **Adam Robert**.

13-Genevieve Katherine Cropper

13-Thomas Philip Cropper

13-Adam Robert Cropper

12-Nicola Mary Gloria Cropper

Nicola married **Sclater**.

Nicola next married **Mark Richard Milbank**, son of **Maj. Denis William Powlett Milbank** and **Doreen Frances Butler**.

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11-**Rachel Marjorie Cropper** was born on 23 Dec 1915 and died in 2005 at age 90.

Rachel married **Rev. Ralph Michael Lanyon Westropp** on 22 Apr 1937. Ralph was born on 24 Feb 1907 and died in 1991 at age 84. They had three children: **Anna Elizabeth, John Michael,** and **Jane Rachel**.

12-**Anna Elizabeth Westropp** was born on 16 Sep 1947 and died on 30 Dec 1958 at age 11.

12-**John Michael Westropp**

12-**Jane Rachel Westropp**

11-**Mary E. Cropper** was born in 1918.

11-**Anna Sybil Cropper** was born in 1919.

11-**Theodosia Olive Cropper** was born in 1921.

Theodosia married **Frank Barrington Craig** on 26 Oct 1944. Frank was born on 2 Mar 1902 and died on 4 Feb 1951 at age 48.

Theodosia next married **Andrew Felix Verney**, son of **Sir Harry Calvert Williams Verney 4th Bt.** and **Lady Rachel Gwennyfyr Catherine Bruce**, on 10 Mar 1955. Andrew was born on 4 Jun 1921 and died on 26 Feb 2000 at age 78. They had two children: **Caroline Rachel** and **Caspar Charles Andrew**.

12-**Caroline Rachel Verney**

Caroline married **Guy Robert Dagul**. They had three children: **Rose Elizabeth, Samuel Matthew,** and **William Arthur**.

13-**Rose Elizabeth Dagul**

13-**Samuel Matthew Dagul**

13-**William Arthur Dagul**

12-**Caspar Charles Andrew Verney**

Caspar married **Wilma Birnie Thomson**, daughter of **William Hutchinson Thomson**. They had three children: **Joseph Alexander, George Andrew,** and **Edward Jonathan**.

13-**Joseph Alexander Verney**

13-**George Andrew Verney**

13-**Edward Jonathan Verney**

11-**Gabrielle Edith Cropper**

11-**Ruth Ellen Cropper**

Ruth married **Thomas M. Lupton**. They had three children: **Harriet A., Daniel P.,** and **Michael W.**

12-**Harriet A. Lupton**

12-**Daniel P. Lupton**

12-**Michael W. Lupton**

10-**Mary Frances Cropper**⁸ was born in 1881.

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Mary married **Sir Walter Morley Fletcher**, son of **Alfred Evans Fletcher** and **Sarah Elizabeth Morley**, on 29 Jun 1904. Walter was born on 21 Jul 1873 in Liverpool and died on 7 Jun 1933 at age 59. They had one son: **Charles Montague**.

11-Dr. Charles Montague Fletcher was born on 5 Jun 1911 and died on 15 Dec 1995 at age 84.

General Notes: The son of Sir Walter Morley Fletcher, the first Secretary of the Medical Research Council; educated at Eton and Trinity College, Cambridge; an oar in the victorious Cambridge boat of 1933: with his background, Charles Fletcher could have been assumed to be a pillar of the establishment. Far from it - Fletcher was a radical free-thinker, who made major contributions to the medicine of his day. He will be remembered particularly for his pioneering of medicine on television, his work on the dust diseases of coalminers, his campaigning on the hazards of cigarette smoking and for emphasising the importance of communication in medicine.

He was born in 1911. After Eton and Cambridge, he studied Medicine at St Bartholomew's Hospital, graduating in 1937. He later worked with Professor Leslie Witts at the Radcliffe Infirmary in Oxford, where in 1941 he was the first doctor to inject penicillin, newly prepared by Howard Florey and Ernst Chain, for the treatment of infection in a human subject. It was then that he diagnosed his own diabetes, necessitating lifelong injections of insulin, an affliction bravely borne for more than 50 years. There were moments when hypoglycaemia disturbed his spirits, as when he told his wife that the end of the world was at hand. Her response was to ask him to take a lump of sugar before that happened.

When the Medical Research Council sought a clinical scientist to head their newly established Pneumoconiosis Research Unit in Cardiff, Sir Edward Mellanby, successor to Fletcher's father, had no hesitation in selecting Charles Fletcher. It was an inspired choice. Fletcher was able to establish the closest relationship with the trade unions and the community of miners in South Wales. He also proved to be a remarkable talent scout, recruiting such individuals as the epidemiologist Archie Cochrane to his unit.

In 1952, Sir John McMichael invited Charles Fletcher to join his Department of Medicine at the Postgraduate Medical School at Hammersmith Hospital. It was not an entirely happy move. Fletcher's interest in epidemiology, the study of disease in the community rather than in single subjects in a hospital environment, was not given the support that he deserved. Nevertheless he was able to show conclusively that patients with chronic bronchitis would do better if they stopped smoking than if they were treated with expensive antibiotics.

It was at this time that he took a role in the anti-smoking campaign. Sir Richard Doll and Sir Austin Bradford Hill had shown that the modern epidemic of lung cancer was associated with cigarette smoking, but it was Fletcher, with the support of Sir George Godber at the Department of Health, who persuaded the Royal College of Physicians to produce their epoch-making report in 1962 on the hazards of smoking. Fletcher himself was effectively the author of that report.

Tall and distinguished in appearance, and with thespian qualities, Charles Fletcher was perhaps a natural choice for television. It was he who, from 1958, collaborated with Richard Dumbleby in the production of the first major television series that dealt with medicine, *Your Life in Their Hands*. He was attacked by his professional colleagues for seeking personal publicity, something he would never have done, and his desire to see medicine not as a secret garden but as a subject for general debate has in time been fully vindicated.

Fletcher retired in 1975, but continued his campaigning. He gave an inspiring Rock- Carling lecture on the importance of communication in medicine, emphasising how doctors should explain to their patients what they were up to. He enjoyed his home in the Isle of Wight, where he was to suffer the first of the final cerebral episodes that were to end his life. He is survived by his wife Louisa, daughter of the first Baron Mottistone, and by his three children, one of whom, Susanna, is the wife of the Attorney-General, Sir Nicholas Lyell.

Charles married **Hon. Louisa Mary Sylvia Seely**, daughter of **John Edward Bernard Seely 1st Baron Mottistone** and **Emily Florence Crichton**, on 24 Oct 1941. Louisa was born on 9 Aug 1913 and died on 14 Jan 1998 at age 84. They had three children: **Mark Walter**, **Susanna Mary**, and **Caroline Anne**.

12-Mark Walter Fletcher

Mark married **Amelia Henrietta Rose Tyler**, daughter of **Richard Tyler**. They had two children: **Benjamin Charles** and **Ellen Maisie Madeleine**.

13-Benjamin Charles Fletcher

13-Ellen Maisie Madeleine Fletcher

Mark next married **Lindy Harbottle**, daughter of **Brig. Michael Neale Harbottle**.

12-Susanna Mary Fletcher

Susanna married **Sir Nicholas Walter Lyell Baron Lyell Of Markyate**, son of **Sir Maurice Legat Lyell** and **Veronica Mary**, on 2 Sep 1967. Nicholas was born on 6 Dec 1938 and died on 30 Aug 2010 at age 71. They had four children: **Veronica R.**, **Oliver M. W.**, **Mary Kate**, and **Alexander**.

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Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as an Attorney General.

13-**Hon. Veronica R. Lyell**

Veronica married **Robert Paul Byrne**.

13-**Hon. Oliver M. W. Lyell**

13-**Hon. Mary Kate Lyell**

13-**Hon. Alexander Lyell**

12-**Caroline Anne Fletcher**

Caroline married **Sir Christopher Simon Courtenay Stephenson Clarke**, son of **Rev. John Stephenson Clarke**²⁰ and **Enid Courtenay Manico**. They had three children: **Henrietta**, **Louisa**, and **Edward**.

13-**Henrietta Clarke**

13-**Louisa Clarke**

13-**Edward Clarke**

10-**Margaret Beatrice Cropper** was born on 29 Aug 1886 and died in 1980 at age 94.

Noted events in her life were:

- She worked as a Religious Poet and Dramatist.

10-**Sybil Edith Cropper**⁸ was born in 1890.

8-**Sarah Wakefield Cropper**^{8,13} was born on 11 Jul 1824 in Liverpool and died on 21 Jun 1890 at age 65.

Sarah married **Rev. Arthur Willink**^{8,13} son of **Daniel Willink** and **Ann Latham**, on 6 Sep 1849. Rev. was born on 27 Mar 1824 in (1822 Also Given) and died on 21 Nov 1862 in Madeira at age 38. They had eight children: **Arthur**, **Clara Cecilia**, **James Cropper**, **Charles Daniel**, **William Edward**, **John Wakefield**, **Alfred Henry**, and **Amelia Trevor Roper**.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at MA St John's Coll.
- He worked as a Vicar of St Pauls, Tranmere, Cheshire.

9-**Rev. Arthur Willink**^{8,13} was born on 1 Jul 1850 and died in 1913 at age 63.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at MA Emanuel Coll.
- He worked as a Curate st John the Evangelist, Bromley.

Arthur married **Margaret Dickson**, daughter of **Rev. Richard Henry Dickson**. They had five children: **Margaret Dorothea Rose**, **Arthur Charles Eric**, **Hilda Mary**, **Herman James Lindall**, and **Roger Jan**.

10-**Margaret Dorothea Rose Willink**^{8,13} was born on 29 Sep 1879 in Cambridge.

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10-**Arthur Charles Eric Willink**^{8,13} was born on 28 Jan 1881 in Lindale In Cartmel.

10-**Hilda Mary Willink**^{8,13} was born on 19 May 1883 in Lindale In Cartmel.

10-**Herman James Lindall Willink**^{8,13} was born on 14 Sep 1884 in Lindale In Cartmel and died in 1918 at age 34.

Herman married **Mary Elizabeth Weston**. They had one son: **Christopher Alfred**.

11-**Christopher Alfred Willink**

10-**Roger Jan Willink**⁸ was born on 4 Oct 1886 in Lindale In Cartmel and died on 4 Dec 1887 at age 1.

9-**Clara Cecilia Willink**^{8,13} was born on 23 Mar 1852.

Clara married **Rev. Norman Frederick McNeile**, son of **Rev. Dr. Hugh McNeile**.

9-**James Cropper Willink**^{8,13} was born on 7 Jun 1853 and died in Jun 1876 at age 23.

9-**Charles Daniel Willink**^{8,13} was born on 3 Nov 1854 and died on 19 Jul 1860 at age 5.

9-**William Edward Willink**^{8,13} was born on 17 Mar 1856 and died on 11 Mar 1924 at age 67.

General Notes: Of Dingle Bank, Liverpool

Noted events in his life were:

- He was awarded with FRIBA JP.
- He worked as an articled Architect to Alfred Waterhouse.
- He was educated at King's College, Cambridge.
- He worked as an Architect in 1882-1924 in Liverpool.
- He worked as a President of the Liverpool Architectural Society in 1897-1899.
- He worked as a member of Liverpool City Council.
- He worked as a Chairman of the Leeds and Liverpool Canal Company.
- He worked as a member of the General Committee of Liverpool Cathedral.

William married **Florence Macan Urmston**,⁸ daughter of **Col. Henry Brabazon Urmston**²¹ and **Harriet Elizabeth Hughes**, on 16 Feb 1893. Florence died on 6 Dec 1933. They had five children: **Henry Urmston, Beatrice Cropper, Mary Christina, Derek Edward**, and **Anna Wakefield**.

10-**Sir Henry Urmston Willink 1st Bt.** was born on 7 Mar 1894 and died on 20 Jul 1973 at age 79.

General Notes: Between 1872 and 1880, he lived presumably with his family, in America. They then returned to live in Hastings.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Eton.
- He was educated at Trinity College, Cambridge.
- He worked as a Barrister at Law, Inner Temple.
- He worked as a Member of Parliament for Croydon North in 1940.
- He worked as a Minister for Health in 1943-1948.
- He worked as a Master of Magdalene Collge, Cambridge in 1948-1966.

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Henry married **Cynthia Frances Fletcher**, daughter of **Dr. Herbert Morley Fletcher** and **Ethel Frances Crossley**, on 11 Dec 1923. Cynthia was born on 21 Jun 1899 and died on 2 Dec 1959 at age 60. They had four children: **Rachel Frances**, **Elisabeth Mary**, **Charles William**, and **Stephen Henry**.

11-**Rachel Frances Willink** was born on 27 Jun 1925 and died on 30 Oct 2002 at age 77.

Rachel married **Michael Kinchin Smith**, son of **Francis John Kinchin Smith**. They had six children: **Lavinia Mary**, **Christopher Henry**, **John Michael**, **David Francis**, **Juliet Clare**, and **Robert Mark**.

12-**Lavinia Mary Smith**

12-**Christopher Henry Smith**

12-**John Michael Smith**

12-**David Francis Smith**

12-**Juliet Clare Smith**

12-**Robert Mark Smith**

11-**Elisabeth Mary Willink**

Elisabeth married **Frank Erskine Bell**, son of **Sir Ernest Albert Seymour Bell** and **Annie Beatrix Loynes**, on 31 Mar 1951. Frank was born on 18 Sep 1916 in Calcutta, West Bengal, India and died on 14 Jul 1989 at age 72. They had two children: **Nicholas John** and **Catharine Elisabeth**.

12-**Nicholas John Bell**

12-**Catharine Elisabeth Bell**

Catharine married **Timothy Cutting**, son of **George Cutting**. They had two children: **Daniel Christopher Frank** and **Amber Charlotte Eloise**.

13-**Daniel Christopher Frank Cutting**

13-**Amber Charlotte Eloise Cutting**

11-**Sir Charles William Willink 2nd Bt.** was born on 10 Sep 1929 and died on 10 Mar 2009 at age 79.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Classical scholar. Taught at Marlborough & Eton.

Charles married **Elizabeth Andrewes**. They had two children: **Edward Daniel** and **Penelope Jane**.

12-**Sir Edward Daniel Willink 3rd Bt.**

12-**Penelope Jane Willink**

Penelope married **Simon John Lawrence Linnett**. They had two children: **John Lawrence Humfrey** and **Henry Simon Albert**.

13-**John Lawrence Humfrey Linnett**

13-**Henry Simon Albert Linnett**

11-**Stephen Henry Willink** was born on 16 Sep 1932 and died on 24 Oct 2001 at age 69.

Stephen married **Mary Louise Royston**, daughter of **Ernest R. Royston**. They had two children: **Henry Augustine** and **Annabella Mary Victoria**.

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12-**Henry Augustine Willink**

12-**Annabella Mary Victoria Willink**

10-**Beatrice Cropper Willink** was born in 1896 and died on 1 Aug 1977 at age 81.

Beatrice married **Rt. Rev. Christopher Maude Chavasse**, son of **Rt. Rev. Francis James Chavasse** and **Ethel Jane Maude**, on 15 Jul 1919. Christopher was born on 9 Nov 1884. They had four children: **Noel, Michael, John Cropper**, and **Anna**.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Bishop of Rochester.

11-**Noel Chavasse** was born on 11 Apr 1920 and died in 1974 at age 54.

11-**Michael Chavasse**

11-**John Cropper Chavasse** was born on 16 Apr 1925 and died on 8 Jun 2012 at age 87.

11-**Anna Chavasse**

10-**Mary Christina Willink** was born in 1899 and died in 1990 at age 91.

Mary married **Dr. Herbert Morley Fletcher**, son of **Alfred Evans Fletcher** and **Sarah Elizabeth Morley**.

10-**Derek Edward Willink** was born on 23 Oct 1902 and died in 1986 at age 84.

Derek married **Joan Leslie Smallwood**. They had five children: **William Alfred, Anne Julia, Nicholas Warren, John Dingle**, and **Sarah Louise**.

11-**William Alfred Willink**

William married **Hester Ann Dymond Mounsey**, daughter of **Wilfred Edmund Mounsey**^{22,23,24,25,26,27,28,29} and **Muriel Grace Dymond**,^{22,24,25,27,28,29,30} They had three children: **Daniel Patrick, Helen Jessica**, and **Priscilla Marian**.

12-**Daniel Patrick Willink**³¹ was born on 17 May 1961 and died in May 2002 at age 41.

General Notes: Suicide

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Bootham School in 1974-1975 in York, Yorkshire.

Daniel married **Maria Rose Frankham**. They had ten children: **Daniel Thomas William, Josie, Samantha Jane, Sunny Dymond, Rhiannon, Jesse James, Sirin Annabel, James, Nicholas John**, and **Thomas Stewart**.

13-**Daniel Thomas William Willink**

13-**Josie Willink**

13-**Samantha Jane Willink**

13-**Sunny Dymond Willink**

13-**Rhiannon Willink**

13-**Jesse James Willink**

Descendants of Peter Cropper

13-Sirin Annabel Willink

13-James Willink

13-Nicholas John Willink

13-Thomas Stewart Willink

12-Helen Jessica Willink

Helen married **James Stewart Walker**.

12-Priscilla Marian Willink

Priscilla married **Nurettin Yilmaz**.

11-Anne Julia Willink

Anne married **Michael Sykes**. They had two children: **Caroline** and **Jonathan**.

12-Caroline Sykes

12-Jonathan Sykes

11-Nicholas Warren Willink

Nicholas married **Jennifer Wendy Marr**, daughter of **Allan James Marr** and **Joan de Wolfe Ranken**. They had three children: **Amanda Frances**, **Susan Joan**, and **Patrick John**.

12-Amanda Frances Willink

Amanda married **Peter Trickett**. They had three children: **James**, **Robin**, and **Alastair**.

13-James Trickett

13-Robin Trickett

13-Alastair Trickett

12-Susan Joan Willink

Susan married **Ian Harrison**. They had two children: **Gemma Elizabeth** and **Rosemary Clare**.

13-Gemma Elizabeth Harrison

13-Rosemary Clare Harrison

12-Patrick John Willink

Patrick married **Katie Middleton**. They had one son: **Oliver Hal**.

13-Oliver Hal Willink

11-John Dingle Willink

John married **Judith Mary Barkway**, daughter of **Michael Barkway**. They had three children: **Michael Derek**, **Patricia Janet**, and **David Christopher**.

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12-Michael Derek Willink

12-Patricia Janet Willink

12-David Christopher Willink

11-Sarah Louise Willink

Sarah married **Michael John Stone**, son of **Robert George Stone**. They had two children: **Emma Christina** and **Richard John Benedict**.

12-Emma Christina Stone

12-Richard John Benedict Stone

10-Anna Wakefield Willink was born on 24 Oct 1906 and died on 16 Dec 1926 at age 20.

9-Rev. John Wakefield Willink^{8,13} was born on 24 Oct 1858 and died on 22 Sep 1927 at age 68.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Pembroke College, Cambridge.
- He worked as a Vicar of St. Helens, Lancashire and of St. Johns, Sunderland.

John married **Ruth Agnes Sim**,⁸ daughter of **James Duncan Sim**, on 27 Jul 1887. Ruth died on 15 Sep 1937. They had four children: **Arthur James Wakefield**, **Mary Cecilia Wakefield**, **Helen Dorothy Wakefield**, and **John Humphrey Wakefield**.

10-Arthur James Wakefield Willink⁸ was born on 17 May 1890 and died on 1 Jan 1964 at age 73.

Arthur married **Rachel Marian Tanner**. They had three children: **Jan Wakefield**, **Simon Wakefield**, and **Janet Wakefield**.

11-Jan Wakefield Willink was born in 1928 and died in Died in Infancy.

11-Simon Wakefield Willink

Simon married **Kathleen Ann Hyatt**. They had three children: **Timothy Wakefield**, **Robin Daniel**, and **Clare Theresa Ann**.

12-Timothy Wakefield Willink

Timothy married **Jeanine Rebecca Flemming**. They had three children: **Rebekah Clare**, **Hayley Ruth**, and **Nicole Frances**.

13-Rebekah Clare Willink

13-Hayley Ruth Willink

13-Nicole Frances Willink

12-Robin Daniel Willink

12-Clare Theresa Ann Willink was born on 12 Jan 1963 and died in 1970 at age 7.

11-Janet Wakefield Willink

Janet married **David Gaston Martineau**, son of **Bernard Gaston Martineau**. They had four children: **Judith Jane**, **Philip Maurice**, **Jennifer Gay**, and **Stephen James**.

12-Judith Jane Martineau

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12-Philip Maurice Martineau

12-Jennifer Gay Martineau

12-Stephen James Martineau

10-Mary Cecilia Wakefield Willink⁸ was born on 2 Jul 1893 and died in 1979 at age 86.

Mary married **Sir Charles Walter Starmer** on 17 Oct 1929. Charles was born on 11 Jul 1870 and died on 27 Jun 1933 at age 62.

10-Helen Dorothy Wakefield Willink was born on 22 Jan 1895 and died in 1989 at age 94.

Helen married **Capt. Ivan Horton**. They had two children: **Rosemary Wakefield** and **Helen Doreen Wakefield**.

11-Rosemary Wakefield Horton was born on 12 May 1920.

11-Helen Doreen Wakefield Horton

10-John Humphrey Wakefield Willink was born on 20 Apr 1898 and died on 19 Nov 1972 at age 74.

9-Alfred Henry Willink^{8,13} was born on 24 May 1860 and died in 1947 at age 87.

Alfred married **Beatrice Amy Luard-Selby**,^{8,13} daughter of **Maj. Robert Luard-Selby** and **Lewis Marianne Selby**, on 19 Apr 1885. Beatrice was born on 3 Oct 1855 and died in 1924 at age 69.

9-Amelia Trevor Roper Willink^{8,13} was born on 8 Sep 1861 and died in Aug 1862.

8-Anne Cropper^{8,13} was born on 20 Sep 1825 in Liverpool.

Anne married **Thomas Matheson**,^{8,13} son of **Duncan Matheson**, on 7 May 1850 in Liverpool. Thomas was born on 11 Feb 1823 in Edinburgh, Midlothian, Scotland.

Noted events in his life were:

- He had a residence in Liverpool.

8-John Wakefield Cropper⁸ was born on 20 Nov 1828 in Liverpool, died on 10 Jan 1829 in Liverpool, and was buried on 12 Jan 1829 in FMH Hardshaw.

8-John Wakefield Cropper⁸ was born on 24 Mar 1830 in Liverpool, was christened on 30 Oct 1853 in Edge Hill, West Derby, Liverpool (Adult baptism), and died on 3 Jun 1892 at age 62.

Noted events in his life were:

- He had a residence in Dingle Bank, Liverpool.

John married **Susanna Elizabeth Lydia Arnold**,⁸ daughter of **Rev. Dr. Thomas Arnold**^{7,8,32} and **Mary Penrose**,⁸ on 23 Aug 1853 in Rydal, Cumbria. Susanna was born in 1830 and was christened on 26 Sep 1830 in St. Andrew's, Rugby. Warwickshire.

8-Isabella Cropper^{8,13} was born on 13 May 1831 in Liverpool and died on 1 Aug 1831 in Liverpool.

8-Edward William Cropper⁸ was born on 7 Jul 1833 in Liverpool.

General Notes: Of Thornton Fields, Guisborough, Yorks.

Edward married **Frances Wright**,⁸ daughter of **Ichabod Charles Wright**^{8,33} and **Hon. Theodosia Denman**,^{8,33} on 30 May 1861 in Ratcliffe On Trent. Frances was born on 16 Oct 1835 in Bramcote, Notts. They had ten children: **James, Frances Mildred Theodosia, John, Charles Henry Edward, Edward Neville, Frederick William, Mary Isabella, Ann Wakefield, Emily Mabel, and Evelyn Wright**.

9-Very Rev. James Cropper⁸ was born on 2 May 1862 in Thornton Fields, Guisborough, Yorkshire and died on 11 Jan 1938 in Warwick, Warwickshire at age 75.

Descendants of Peter Cropper

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Trinity College, Cambridge.
- He worked as a Vicar of St Thomas, Stratford.

James married **Ethel Frances Smith**,⁸ daughter of **George Percival Smith**³⁴ and **Martha Capron**, on 8 Mar 1888 in Tunbridge Wells, Kent. Ethel was born in 1863 in Lower Eaton Hall, Herefordshire and died on 7 Nov 1943 in Lyminster, Sussex at age 80. They had five children: **Paul**, **Frances Alice**, **Martha Phyllis**, **Edward Perceval**, and **Richard Alfred**.

10-**Paul Cropper** was born on 29 Jan 1889.

10-**Frances Alice Cropper** was born on 19 Aug 1890 and died in Dec 1969 at age 79.

Frances married **Sir Henry Pelham Wentworth McNaghten**.

10-**Martha Phyllis Cropper** was born in 1892 in West Ham, London.

10-**Edward Perceval Cropper** was born on 15 Jul 1896.

10-**Richard Alfred Cropper** was born on 2 Dec 1899.

9-**Frances Mildred Theodosia Cropper**⁸ was born on 23 Jul 1863 in Thornton Fields, Guisborough, Yorkshire.

Frances married **Dr. Conrad Theodore Green**.

9-**Dr. John Cropper**⁸ was born on 17 Sep 1864 in Thornton Fields, Guisborough, Yorkshire, died on 21 Nov 1916 in Kea Channel, Island of Kea, Greece. Sinking of HMS Britannic. Drowned at age 52, and was buried in Mikra Memorial, Greece.

General Notes: **Cropper, John** Born Sept. 17, 1864, at Guisborough, Yorks. 2nd son of Edward William Cropper, of Great Crosby, Liverpool. Brother of James (1881), etc. Charterhouse School. Adm. as pensioner at Trinity, June 18, 1883. Matric. Michs. 1883; BA 1886; BC and MA 1892; MB 1893; MD 1902. At St Bartholomew's Hospital. With the Church Missionary Society Medical Mission at Acre, Palestine, 1895-1901. Married to Anne E., and had issue. Of Mount Ballan, Chepstow, Monmouthshire, in 1911. Captain, Royal Army Medical Corps. Drowned Nov. 21, 1916, in HMS Britannic. Commemorated at Mikra Memorial, Greece.
College Cambridge Chapel. Roll of Honour WWI.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was awarded with MA BA BC MA MBed MD.
- He was educated at Charterhouse.
- He was educated at Trinity College, Cambridge.
- He worked as a Physician and Ophthalmologist in St. Barthomews Hospital, London.
- He worked as a member of the Church Missionary Society Medical Mission in Acre, Palestine.
- He had a residence in 1911 in Mount Ballan, Chepstow, Monmouthshire.
- He worked as a Captain in the Royal Army Medical Corps.

John married **Anne Ellen Walker**. They had three children: **Thomas Andrew**, **Dorothea Alice Denman**, and **Eleanor Grace**.

10-**Thomas Andrew Cropper** was born on 5 May 1898 in Mount Ballan, Chepstow, Monmouthshire.

10-**Dorothea Alice Denman Cropper**

10-**Eleanor Grace Cropper**

9-**Charles Henry Edward Cropper**⁸ was born on 25 Jan 1866.

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Charles married **Ethel Mary Green**, daughter of **Rev. Conrad Green**. They had three children: **Charles Leonard**, **Alexander**, and **Madge Ethel**.

10-**Charles Leonard Cropper** was born on 26 Jan 1894.

10-**Alexander Cropper** was born on 8 Dec 1896.

10-**Madge Ethel Cropper**

9-**Edward Neville Cropper**⁸ was born on 14 May 1869 in West Highfield, Oxton, Birkenhead and died in Died in childhood.

9-**Rev. Frederick William Cropper**⁸ was born on 1 Feb 1871 in West Highfield, Oxton, Birkenhead.

Frederick married **Florence Barton Jones**, daughter of **Rev. Thomas Davis Jones**. They had two children: **Charles Frederick John** and **Violet Gwennlian**.

10-**Charles Frederick John Cropper** was born on 6 Jun 1901.

10-**Violet Gwennlian Cropper**

9-**Mary Isabella Cropper**⁸ was born on 7 Jan 1875 and died in Died in Infancy.

9-**Ann Wakefield Cropper**⁸ was born on 26 Mar 1876 in Great Crosby, Liverpool.

9-**Emily Mabel Cropper**⁸ was born on 31 Dec 1877 in Bramcote.

Emily married **Rev. Hubert Edmund Hamilton Probyn**. They had three children: **Edward Hamilton**, **Emily Araminta**, and **Margaret Eleanor**.

10-**Edward Hamilton Probyn** was born on 17 Sep 1908.

10-**Emily Araminta Probyn**

10-**Margaret Eleanor Probyn**

9-**Evelyn Wright Cropper**⁸ was born on 17 Nov 1880 in Great Crosby, Liverpool.

8-**Isabella Eliza Cropper**^{8,13} was born on 7 May 1835 in Liverpool.

Isabella married **James Rigg Brougham**,^{8,13} son of **John Waugh Brougham**, on 4 Oct 1854 in Liverpool. James was born on 5 May 1826. They had seven children: **John Cropper**, **Harold De Vaux**, **Margaret Lyndesay**, **Annie Wakefield**, **Kate**, **Eleanor**, and **Mary**.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Registrar, High Courts of Justice.

9-**John Cropper Brougham**⁸ was born on 2 Feb 1857 in Liverpool.

John married **Ursula Harriet Mary Chamberlain**, daughter of **Sir Henry Orlando Chamberlain Bt**. They had three children: **James Henry Chamberlain**, **Constance Murielle**, and **Gwendoline Islay**.

10-**James Henry Chamberlain Brougham**⁸ was born on 9 Dec 1882.

10-**Constance Murielle Brougham**⁸ was born on 17 Sep 1884.

10-**Gwendoline Islay Brougham**⁸ was born on 29 Aug 1892 in Elmwood, Hackbridge, Surrey.

9-**Harold De Vaux Brougham** was born on 17 Aug 1858 in Liverpool.

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Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Barrister, Lincoln's Inn.

9-**Margaret Lyndesay Brougham**⁸ was born on 1 Sep 1855 in Liverpool.

Margaret married **Samuel Logan Johnston**, son of **Carruthers Charles Johnston**. They had seven children: **Alfred Hubert, Carruthers Brougham, Gladys Beryl, Leslie Darrell, Alexander Vyvyan, Kathleen Stella**, and **Olive Marjory**.

10-**Alfred Hubert Johnston**⁸ was born on 10 Feb 1878.

10-**Carruthers Brougham Johnston**⁸ was born on 3 Jun 1879.

10-**Gladys Beryl Johnston**⁸ was born on 28 Jan 1881.

10-**Leslie Darrell Johnston**⁸ was born on 29 May 1883.

10-**Alexander Vyvyan Johnston**⁸ was born on 3 Dec 1884.

10-**Kathleen Stella Johnston**⁸ was born on 9 Nov 1886.

10-**Olive Marjory Johnston**⁸ was born on 28 Aug 1890.

9-**Annie Wakefield Brougham**⁸ was born on 8 Aug 1860 in Claughton, Cheshire.

Annie married **Jacob Wakefield**,⁸ son of **William Henry Wakefield**^{8,13,18} and **Augusta Haggarty**, on 27 Apr 1887. Jacob was born in May 1860 in Kendal, Cumbria. They had one son: **William Henry**.

General Notes: Of Prizet, Kendal

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a JP High Sheriff Westmorland 1893.

10-**William Henry Wakefield**⁸ was born on 6 Jan 1891.

9-**Kate Brougham**⁸ was born on 6 Sep 1865 in London.

Kate married **Sir John Wakefield Weston**,^{8,15} son of **Rev. George Frederick Weston**^{8,13} and **Mary Wakefield**,^{8,13} on 8 Jan 1890. John was born on 13 Jun 1852 in Crosby Ravensworth, Cumbria. They had one daughter: **Mary Elizabeth**.

10-**Mary Elizabeth Weston**⁸ was born on 8 Apr 1892.

9-**Eleanor Brougham**⁸ was born on 4 Apr 1867 in London.

9-**Mary Brougham**

8-**Margaret Cropper**^{8,12} was born on 14 Jul 1836 in Liverpool and died on 10 Oct 1930 at age 94.

Margaret married **Rev. Canon William Jones**¹² on 12 Jul 1866 in Liverpool. William was born on 28 Jan 1834 in Liverpool and died on 2 Jun 1902 in Liverpool at age 68. They had six children: **Agnes Harriet, Herbert Gresford, Vincent Strickland, Alice Margaret, Edith Winifred**, and **Clement Wakefield**.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at MA Trinity.
- He worked as a Perpetual Curate, Burneside, Kendal.

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9-Agnes **Harriet Jones**⁸ was born on 30 Nov 1868 and died on 7 Jan 1887 at age 18.

9-Rt. Rev. Dr. **Herbert Gresford Jones**^{35,36} was born on 7 Apr 1870 in Burneside, Kendal, Cumbria and died on 22 Jun 1958 in Liverpool at age 88.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Haileybury.
- He was educated at Trinity College, Cambridge.
- He worked as a Vicar of Bradford in Bradford, Yorkshire.
- He worked as a Bishop of Kampala in Kampala, Uganda, Africa.
- He worked as a Bishop of Warrington in Warrington, Cheshire.

Herbert married **Elizabeth Howard Fox Hodgkin**,^{35,36} daughter of **Dr. Thomas Hodgkin**^{7,19,35,36,37,38,39,40,41,42,43,44} and **Lucy Anna Fox**,^{7,35,36,37,38,41,42,43,44,45} on 30 Aug 1900 in Lowick, Northumberland. Elizabeth was born on 22 Nov 1873 in Benwelldene, Newcastle upon Tyne and died on 27 Jun 1972 in Liverpool at age 98. They had one son: **Edward Michael Gresford**.

General Notes: Sometime known as Lily

10-Rt. Rev. Dr. **Sir Edward Michael Gresford Jones**⁴⁶ was born on 21 Oct 1901 in St. Michaels Hamlet, Liverpool and died on 7 Mar 1982 at age 80.

Noted events in his life were:

- He was awarded with DD KCVO.
- He worked as a Bishop of Willesden.

Edward married **Lucy Elizabeth Bosanquet**,⁴⁶ daughter of **Prof. Robert Carr Bosanquet**^{35,46} and **Ellen Sophia Hodgkin**,^{35,36,46} on 19 Apr 1933 in Winwick, Northamptonshire. Lucy was born on 15 Sep 1911 in 24 Devonshire Road, Liverpool and died on 8 May 1989 at age 77. They had three children: **Alison Gresford**, **Rachel Margaret Gresford**, and **Helen Elizabeth Gresford**.

11-Alison Gresford Jones

Alison married **Dr. David Lewis Froggatt**, son of **Harold Aubrey Froggatt** and **Rose Marion Murgatroyd**. They had three children: **Katherine Alison**, **Peter Michael**, and **Antony Patrick**.

12-Katherine Alison Froggatt

Katherine married **Hugh Kidd**.

12-Rev. Peter Michael Froggatt

Peter married **Ruth Hall**. They had three children: **Shelly**, **Scott**, and **Ella**.

13-Shelly Froggatt

13-Scott Froggatt

13-Ella Froggatt

12-Antony Patrick Froggatt

Antony married **Julie Brown**. They had two children: **Jonah Daniel Lewis** and **Elsa**.

13-Jonah Daniel Lewis Froggatt

13-Elsa Froggatt

11-Rachel Margaret Gresford Jones

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Rachel married **William John Walter Boulton**, son of **Walter Boulton** and **Lorna Batley**. They had three children: **Jonathan Edward**, **Walter Benedict**, and **Matthew Gresford**.

12-Jonathan Edward Boulton

Jonathan married **Nicola Chinn**. They had two children: **Anya Catherine Ellenden** and **Lucy Temple Fox**.

13-Anya Catherine Ellenden Boulton

13-Lucy Temple Fox Boulton

12-Walter Benedict Boulton

12-Matthew Gresford Boulton

Matthew married **Sarah Bernard**. They had three children: **Sophie Mary**, **Luke**, and **Seth Alexander**.

13-Sophie Mary Boulton

13-Luke Boulton

13-Seth Alexander Boulton

11-Helen Elizabeth Gresford Jones

Helen married **Simon Morley Barnes**⁴⁶ on 24 Apr 1971. Simon was born on 13 Dec 1939 and died on 3 Dec 2010 in Kent at age 70. They had three children: **Annabel Lucy**, **Adam Charles Morley**, and **Rebecca Morley**.

12-Annabel Lucy Barnes

Annabel married **Stewart Anderson**.

Annabel next married **Richard Close**. They had two children: **Charlotte Lucy Clare** and **Jack Simon**.

13-Charlotte Lucy Clare Close

13-Jack Simon Close

12-Adam Charles Morley Barnes

Adam married **Valerie Blanchet**. They had three children: **Theo**, **Charlie**, and **Arthur**.

13-Theo Barnes

13-Charlie Barnes

13-Arthur Barnes

12-Rebecca Morley Barnes

Rebecca married **Nick Wilkie**. They had three children: **James Harry Gresford**, **Thomas Simon Gresford**, and **Daisy Ann Gresford**.

13-James Harry Gresford Wilkie

13-Thomas Simon Gresford Wilkie

13-Daisy Ann Gresford Wilkie

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9-**Sir Vincent Strickland Jones**⁸ was born on 15 Feb 1874 in Burneside, Kendal and died on 1 May 1967 at age 93.

Vincent married **Mary Bagot**, daughter of **Lt. Col. Josceline Fitzroy Bagot** and **Theodosia Leslie**, on 14 Jun 1910 in Heversham, Cumbria. Mary was born in 1889. They had two children: **Desmond** and **Barbara**.

10-**Desmond Vincent-Jones** was born on 3 Feb 1912 and died in Feb 1992 at age 80.

Desmond married **Jacqueline Sloggett**, daughter of **Col. Arthur John Henry Sloggett**. They had two children: **Anne Jacqueline** and **Avril Theresa**.

11-**Anne Jacqueline Vincent-Jones**

11-**Avril Theresa Vincent-Jones**

10-**Barbara Vincent-Jones**

9-**Alice Margaret Jones**⁸ was born on 1 Apr 1875 and died on 29 Mar 1968 at age 92.

9-**Edith Winifred Jones**⁸ was born on 17 Dec 1878 and died in 1968 at age 90.

Edith married **Rev. Canon William James Gravell**. They had two children: **David** and **Primrose**.

10-**David Gravell** was born in 1925 and died in 1999 at age 74.

David married **Cecil Eastwood**. They had four children: **James David**, **Oliver Timothy**, **Eleanor**, and **Humphrey**.

11-**James David Gravell**

James married **Pascale Savoure**. They had five children: **Charlotte**, **Sebastian**, **Chloe**, **Adeline**, and **Lily**.

12-**Charlotte Gravell**

12-**Sebastian Gravell**

12-**Chloe Gravell**

12-**Adeline Gravell**

12-**Lily Gravell**

11-**Oliver Timothy Gravell**

Oliver married **Rosemary Moon**. They had four children: **Benedict**, **Archie**, **Hugo**, and **Oscar**.

12-**Benedict Gravell**

12-**Archie Gravell**

12-**Hugo Gravell**

12-**Oscar Gravell**

11-**Eleanor Gravell**

Eleanor married **Richard MacDonald**. They had three children: **Alasdair**, **Hamish**, and **Angus**.

12-**Alasdair MacDonald**

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12-**Hamish MacDonald**

12-**Angus MacDonald**

11-**Humphrey Gravell**

Humphrey married **Alexandra Llewellyn-Palmer**. They had three children: **Xenia, Mali, and Willa**.

12-**Xenia Gravell**

12-**Mali Gravell**

12-**Willa Gravell**

10-**Primrose Gravell** was born in 1920 and died in 2008 at age 88.

Primrose married **Col. Peter Wilson**, son of **Leslie Wilson**.

9-**Sir Clement Wakefield Jones**^{8,12} was born on 26 Jun 1880 in Burneside, Kendal and died on 29 Oct 1963 at age 83.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Shipping Executive.

Clement married **Enid Sophia Boscawen**¹² on 11 Nov 1911. Enid was born on 11 Nov 1889 in Ellesmere, Flint and died in 1980 in Stockport, Cheshire at age 91. They had three children: **Nesta Margaret Sophia, Martin Clement Trevor, and Maurice Llewellyn**.

10-**Nesta Margaret Sophia Clement-Jones**¹² was born on 9 Sep 1912 and died on 26 May 1991 in Lambeth, London at age 78.

Nesta married **John Brown**.¹² John was born on 9 Sep 1912 and died in 1968 at age 56. They had three children: **Andrew John Trevor, Stephen, and Isabel**.

11-**Andrew John Trevor Brown**

Andrew married **Barbara Ough**. They had two children: **Roland** and **Trevor**.

12-**Roland Brown**

12-**Trevor Brown**

11-**Stephen Brown**

Stephen married **Harriet Rose**. They had two children: **Oliver** and **Lucinda**.

12-**Oliver Brown**

12-**Lucinda Brown**

11-**Isabel Brown**

Isabel married **Julio Trebilcock**. They had three children: **Irene Sophia, Maria, and Denzil**.

12-**Irene Sophia Trebilcock**

12-**Maria Trebilcock**

12-**Denzil Trebilcock**

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10-**Martin Clement Trevor Clement-Jones**¹² was born on 20 Jun 1915 in Chester and died in 1978 in Kitzbühel, Austria at age 63.

Martin married **Micheline Giffard**. They had two children: **Christopher Otto Giffard** and **Martin Bosacwen**.

11-**Christopher Otto Giffard Clement-Jones**

Christopher married **Janice Elaine Clarkson**. They had two children: **Veronica Giffard** and **Felicity Giffard**.

12-**Veronica Giffard Clement-Jones**

12-**Felicity Giffard Clement-Jones**

11-**Martin Bosacwen Clement-Jones**

Martin married **Susan**. They had one daughter: **Samantha**.

12-**Samantha Giffard**

Martin next married **Judith**.

10-**Maurice Llewellyn Clement-Jones**¹² was born on 12 Oct 1917 in Neston, Cheshire and died on 5 Mar 1988 in Haywards Heath, West Sussex at age 70.

Maurice married **Margaret Jean Hudson**, daughter of **Walter Richard Austen Hudson**¹² and **Marion Hyde**,¹² They had five children: **Nicholas Trevor**, **Elizabeth Sophia**, **Timothy Francis**, **Margaret Athene**, and **Robert Alexander**.

11-**Nicholas Trevor Clement-Jones**

Nicholas married **Sheelagh Marie Teresa Smith**. They had two children: **Mark Trevor** and **Simon William**.

12-**Dr. Mark Trevor Clement-Jones**

Mark married **Dr. Karen Ward**. They had three children: **Jacob**, **Imogen Rose**, and **Matilda**.

13-**Jacob Clement-Jones**

13-**Imogen Rose Clement-Jones**

13-**Matilda Clement-Jones**

12-**Simon William Clement-Jones**

11-**Elizabeth Sophia Clement-Jones**

11-**Timothy Francis Clement-Jones Lord Clement-Jones**

Timothy married **Dr. Vicky Veronica Yip**,^{7,12,47} daughter of **Teddy Yip** and **Susie Ho**, on 16 Jun 1973. Vicky was born on 23 Dec 1948 in Hong Kong, China, died on 30 Jul 1987 in St. Bartholomew's Hospital, London at age 38, and was buried in Cremated at Croydon. They had no children.

General Notes: Jones, Vicky Veronica Clement- [*née* Vicky Veronica Yip] (1948-1987), physician and founder of the British Association for Cancer United Patients, was born on 23 December 1948 in Hong Kong, the third child of Teddy Yip, a successful Chinese businessman, and his wife, Susie Ho. Her early life was spent in Hong Kong, and after a period in Rangoon she returned to Hong Kong in 1954. Of her four brothers and sisters-Tina, George, Betty, and Ronnie-George, who was slightly older, was the most important for her as he inspired her love of learning. The family became wealthy and lived in elegant style in Hong Kong. The transition that occurred when their mother brought the children to East Grinstead, Sussex, in 1957, could have been daunting, but Vicky performed well at Nôtre Dame Convent School. Academically brilliant, she was also a talented violinist and played hockey for the county. From school she obtained an exhibition to Girton College, Cambridge, where she read for the medical science tripos, obtaining a first-class honours degree in 1970 and a first in part two archaeology and anthropology in 1971. She was awarded the Cambridge University Elizabeth Walter prize for 1970, the Pfeiffer graduate scholarship for 1971, and the Raemakers prize for 1971.

A quiet determination to succeed did not prevent Vicky from making many friends. One of these friendships was with Timothy Francis Clement-Jones (*b.* 26 Oct 1949), son of Maurice Llewellyn Clement-Jones, personnel manager, whom she married on 16 June 1973, two years after she left Cambridge; there were no children. By this time Vicky was well into her clinical

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training at St Thomas's Hospital, London, where she qualified MB, BChir, in 1974. Junior appointments at St Thomas's and the Brompton Hospital followed. In 1976 while working in the department of medicine at St Bartholomew's Hospital, she passed the MRCP examination. She had become increasingly interested in research and was awarded an Aylwen bursary at Bart's to study the naturally occurring opioid peptides which are concerned with the body's response to pain. She was successful in devising a radioimmunoassay for one of these and reported it in *Nature* (17 January 1980, 295). Publications leading to a better understanding of pain mechanisms followed. It was a strange irony that in 1982 she was struck by one of the most painful of diseases, carcinoma of the ovary. The shock of the diagnosis was overwhelming. Later, in a BBC radio interview with Professor Anthony Clare, she said she thought she would be dead in a few months. A few days after the diagnosis had been confirmed, a medical oncologist at Bart's was able to restore her hope, but almost certainly this fearful episode and her ignorance about cancer resulted in her major achievement, the formation of a help and advisory service for patients with cancer, the British Association for Cancer United Patients (BACUP). This became the largest and most successful organization of its kind in the United Kingdom, helping over 100,000 patients a year through the provision of a telephone information service, personal counselling, and the publication of a range of booklets and leaflets.

Before this took place Vicky passed through the fire of her own treatment for cancer, with intractable vomiting, loss of hair, depression, and curtailment of every aspect of her life. Through this experience she was able to help others. Amazingly, she told Professor Clare that as a result of her illness she felt her life had been enriched. Those who knew this vibrant, dark-eyed, intense young doctor testified to her relentless pursuit of establishing BACUP. The inaugural meeting took place in October 1984 and the official launch was exactly a year later. In the months ahead, as the success of BACUP became assured, it became evident that Vicky would not survive a recurrence of the disease. She died in Bart's on 30 July 1987, exactly five years from the day of her diagnosis. Her body was cremated at Croydon crematorium, London.

J. S. Malpas

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Noted events in her life were:

- She was awarded with MB BChir MRCP.

Timothy next married **Jean Roberta Whiteside**. They had one son: **Harry Alexander**.

12-**Hon. Harry Alexander Clement-Jones**

11-**Margaret Athene Clement-Jones**

Margaret married **Andrew Malcolm Logan**. They had four children: **Charlotte Louise**, **Florence Josephine**, **Beatrice Athene**, and **Henrietta Rosa**.

12-**Charlotte Louise Logan**

Charlotte married **James Allum**.

12-**Florence Josephine Logan**

Florence married **Timothy Edward Beverley**. They had one daughter: **Rosetta**.

13-**Rosetta Logan**

12-**Beatrice Athene Logan**

12-**Henrietta Rosa Logan**

11-Robert Alexander Clement-Jones

Robert married **Deborah Taylor**.

Robert next married **Linda Likar**. They had one daughter: **Alexandra Victoria**.

12-Alexandra Victoria Clement-Jones

7-**Eliza Cropper** was born in 1801 and died in 1835 at age 34.

Noted events in her life were:

- She was educated at York Quarterly Meeting, Girls School. (Later became The Mount School) in 1810-1814 in York, Yorkshire.

Eliza married **Joseph Sturge**,^{6,7,9,11,48,49,50,51,52,53,54} son of **Joseph Sturge**^{7,48,50,55,56} and **Mary Marshall**,^{7,48,50,55} in Apr 1834. Joseph was born on 2 Aug 1793 in Old Manor House, Elberton, Thornbury, Gloucestershire, died on 14 May 1859 in Edgbaston, Birmingham, Warwickshire at age 65, and was buried in FBG Bull Street, Birmingham.

General Notes: Sturge, Joseph (1793– 1859), philanthropist, son of Joseph Sturge (1763– 1817), a farmer and grazier, and his wife, Mary Marshall (d. 1819) of Alcester, Warwickshire, was born at Elberton, Gloucestershire, on 2 August 1793. He was the fourth of twelve children: six boys and six girls. After a year at Thornbury day school and three years at the Quaker boarding-school at Sidcot, Sturge at fourteen commenced farming with his father. Afterwards he farmed on his own account. The Sturges were members of the Society of Friends, and at the age of nineteen, when Joseph followed the family's pacifist beliefs and refused to find a proxy or to serve in the militia, he watched his flock of sheep driven off to be sold to cover the delinquency. In 1814 he settled at Bewdley as a corn factor, but did not make money. In 1822 he moved to Birmingham, where he lived for the rest of his life. There, in partnership with his brother Charles Sturge (1801– 1888), who was associated with him in many of his later philanthropic acts, he created one of the largest grain-importing businesses in Britain. With other family members he invested in railways and in the new docks at Gloucester. Leaving the conduct of the business to Charles, he devoted himself after 1831 to philanthropy and public life. On 29 April 1834 he married Eliza, only daughter of James Cropper, the philanthropist. She died in 1835. He married again on 14 October 1846; his second wife was Hannah [see Sturge, Hannah (1816– 1896)], daughter of Barnard Dickinson of Coalbrookdale, Shropshire, with whom he had a son and four daughters.

From the 1820s Sturge warmly espoused the anti-slavery cause in collaboration with his younger sister Sophia Sturge (1795– 1845). He soon became dissatisfied with T. F. Buxton and the leaders of the movement, who favoured a policy of gradual emancipation. In 1831 he was one of the founders of the agency committee of the Anti-Slavery Society, whose programme was entire and immediate emancipation. Sturge and his friends engaged lecturers, who travelled through Britain and Ireland arousing popular interest. They were disappointed by the measure of emancipation passed by the government on 28 August 1833, granting compensation to slave owners and substituting a temporary system of unpaid apprenticeship for slavery. Between November 1836 and April 1837 Sturge visited the West Indies gathering evidence to demonstrate the flaws of the apprenticeship system. On his return he published *The West Indies* in 1837 (1838), the first edition of which rapidly sold, and gave evidence for seven days before a committee of the House of Commons. He travelled round Britain, hoping, as one of his friends explained, to bring 'the battering ram of public opinion' to bear on parliament and the West Indian planter interest. He was successful, and in 1838 the apprenticeship system was terminated.

Sturge and his friends subsequently sent large sums of money to Jamaica in support of schools, missionaries, and a scheme for settling former slaves in 'free townships'. He founded the British and Foreign Anti-Slavery Society in 1839, and organized international anti-slavery conventions in 1840 and 1843. In 1841 he travelled through the United States with the poet J. G. Whittier, to observe the condition of the slaves there, and on his return published *A Visit to the United States* in 1841 (1842). Towards the end of his life he bought an estate on the island of Montserrat to prove the economic viability of free labour if efficiently and humanely managed.

Meanwhile political agitation in England was rising. One of the first members of the Anti-Corn Law League, Sturge was reproached by the Free Trader for deserting repeal when, in 1842, he launched a campaign for 'complete suffrage', hoping to secure the co-operation of the league and the Chartist movement under his leadership. He was encouraged by the support he received from Edward Miall and middle-class nonconformists as well as from some of the Chartists, including A. G. O'Neill and Henry Vincent, but the league leaders refused to participate, and the movement faded away after it was opposed by William Lovett and Feargus O'Connor at a conference in Birmingham in December 1842. Sturge unsuccessfully contested parliamentary elections at Nottingham in 1842, Birmingham in 1844, and Leeds in 1847 on platforms that included 'complete suffrage'.

For several years after the mid-1840s Sturge was one of the leaders of a movement for 'people diplomacy', which attempted to create an international public opinion in favour of arbitration as a means of avoiding war. Together with Richard Cobden, Henry Richard, Elihu Burritt, and others, he organized peace congresses at Brussels, Paris, Frankfurt, London, Manchester, and Edinburgh. In 1850 he visited Schleswig-Holstein and Copenhagen with the object of inducing the governments of Schleswig-Holstein and Denmark to submit their dispute to arbitration. In January 1854 he was appointed one of the deputation from the Society of Friends to visit the tsar of Russia in an attempt to avert the Crimean War. Largely through Sturge's support, the *Morning Star* was launched in 1856 as an organ for the advocacy of non-intervention and arbitration. In 1856 he visited Finland to arrange for distribution of funds from the Friends towards relieving the famine caused by the British fleet's destruction of private property during the war. Sturge died suddenly after a heart attack at Edgbaston, near Birmingham, on 14 May 1859, as he was preparing to attend the annual meeting of the Peace Society, of which he was president. He was buried in the graveyard of the Bull Street meeting-house, Birmingham.

A man of stocky build, with a prominent forehead, brown hair, blue eyes, and benevolent features, Sturge was often admired for the energy with which he pursued his good causes. Two of his children, Joseph and Sophia Sturge (1849– 1936), continued his philanthropic and reforming work into the twentieth century.

Sturge's range of interests as a philanthropist and reformer was very wide: anti-slavery, peace, free trade, suffrage extension, infant schools and Sunday schools, reformatories, spelling reform, teetotalism, hydrophaty, and public parks. He was one of the street commissioners of Birmingham during the 1820s, and from 1838 to 1840 he was an alderman of the newly created Birmingham town council. The mainspring of his actions was a sense of Christian duty derived from his Quakerism. He was also influenced by his association with radical nonconformists who shared his antipathy for the aristocratic Anglican élite which dominated British political life. He has been seen as one of the many wealthy Quakers who attempted to alleviate the problems of the age by their philanthropy. He has also been

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described as one of the best examples of a group of reformers who called themselves 'moral radicals' and strove to impart a religiously based idealism to the emergent Liberal Party of the mid-nineteenth century.

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Son of a farmer in Gloucestershire, was an English Quaker, abolitionist and activist. He founded the British and Foreign Anti-Slavery Society (now Anti-Slavery International). He worked throughout his life in Radical political actions supporting pacifism, working-class rights, and the universal emancipation of slaves. In the late 1830s he published two books about the apprenticeship system in Jamaica, which helped persuade the British Parliament to adopt an earlier full emancipation date. In Jamaica, Sturge also helped found Free Villages with the Baptists, to provide living quarters for freed slaves; one was named "Sturge Town" in his memory.. Features in the painting of The Anti-Slavery Society Convention, 1840, by Benjamin Robert Haydon

Noted events in his life were:

- He was educated at Sidcot School.
- He worked as a Corn Merchant of Birmingham.
- He worked as a Secretary of the Birmingham Anti-slavery Society in 1826.
- He worked as a President of The Peace Society in 1858.
- He worked as a Director of the London & Birmingham Railway.

7-**Edward Cropper**^{8,13} was born on 19 Apr 1799 in Liverpool and died on 23 May 1877 in Kent at age 78.

Noted events in his life were:

- He had a residence in Swaylands, Kent.

Edward married **Isabella Wakefield**,^{8,13} daughter of **John Wakefield**^{8,13,15,16} and **Mary Beakbane**,^{8,13,15,16} on 18 Sep 1821 in Preston Patrick, Milnthorpe, Cumbria. Isabella was born on 27 Jul 1801 in Kendal, Cumbria and died on 27 Sep 1830 at age 29.

Edward next married **Margaret Macaulay**, daughter of **Zachary Macaulay** and **Selina Mills**, in 1832. Margaret was born in 1812 and died in 1834 at age 22. They had one son: **Charles James**.

8-**Charles James Cropper** died in 1847.

Edward next married **Hon. Margaret Denman**, daughter of **Thomas Denman 1st Baron Denman**⁸ and **Theodosia Anne Vevers**, in 1848. Margaret was born on 8 Aug 1815 and died on 11 Jun 1899 at age 83. They had one daughter: **Amelia Margaret Elizabeth**.

8-**Amelia Margaret Elizabeth Cropper** was born in 1850.

Amelia married **Henry Studdy**, son of **Henry Studdy** and **Eleanor Frances Holdsworth**, in Jun 1867 in Sevenoaks, Kent. Henry was born in 1843 in Waddeton Court, Stoke Gabriel, Devon and died in 1880 at age 37. They had two children: **Henry Edward Macaulay** and **Eleanor Margaret**.

9-**Maj. Henry Edward Macaulay Studdy** was born in 1868 in Southsea, Hampshire.

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Henry married **Mary Grigg**. They had one son: **Henry**.

10-**Capt. Sir Henry Studdy**⁵⁷ was born on 20 Apr 1894 and died on 10 Nov 1975 at age 81.

General Notes: **STUDDY, Sir Henry** Kt 1951; CBE 1947; KPM 1954

Born 20 April 1894; *e s* of late Major H. E. M. Studdy; *m* 1924, Marion Stonor, *o d* of H. T. S. Forrest, ICS; *one d* ; *died* 10 Nov. 1975 retired

Education St Paul's School

Career Indian Police, 1914– 35. Served European War, 1917– 19, with Indian Cavalry, Capt. 1918 (despatches). Chief Constable: of Northumberland, 1935– 43; of County Durham, 1943– 44; of West Riding of Yorkshire, 1944– Oct. 1959. Mem. Police Recruiting Mission to Palestine, 1948; Mem. Advisory Council on the Treatment of Offenders, 1945– 59; Mem. Board of Governors of Police College, 1948– 59; Mem. Singapore Riots Inquiry Commn, 1951; Chm. Cyprus Police Commn, 1956. Vice-Pres. Royal Life Saving Society, 1956– , Dep. Grand Pres., 1968– 72 (Dep. Pres., UK Branch, 1960, Pres., 1963– 69); Member Road Research Board, 1959– 63. Chairman, St Loye's College for Training the Disabled for Commerce and Industry, 1963– 69, Pres., 1969–

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Noted events in his life were:

- He was awarded with CBE KPM.
- He was educated at St. Paul's School.
- He worked as a Police officer, India Police in 1914-1935.
- He worked as an officer of the Indian Cavalry in 1917-1919.
- He worked as a Chief Constable of Northumberland in 1935-1943.
- He worked as a Chief Constable of County Durham in 1943-1944.
- He worked as a Chief Constable of North Yorkshire in 1944-1959.

Henry married **Marion Stonor Forrest**, daughter of **H. T. S. Forrest**.

9-**Eleanor Margaret Studdy** died on 2 Apr 1946.

Eleanor married **Sir Harald George Hewett 4th Bt.** on 20 Jan 1892. Harald was born on 24 Oct 1858 and died on 5 Mar 1949 at age 90.

6-**Margaret Cropper**^{2,58} was born on 6 Feb 1777 and died in 1841 at age 64.

Margaret married **James Ryley**,^{2,59} son of **James Ryley** and **Jennet Lancaster**, in 1797. James was born on 27 Dec 1768 in Clifton, Freckleton, Fylde, Lancashire and died on 25 Jul 1845 in Rake Lane, West Derby, Liverpool at age 76. They had five children: **James, Rebecca, Eliza, (No Given Name), and Thomas Cropper**.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Sailmaker in Liverpool.

7-**James Ryley**^{2,11,60} was born on 18 Apr 1803 in Liverpool and died on 13 Aug 1859 in Liverpool at age 56.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Cotton Broker of Liverpool.

James married **Hannah Crosfield**,^{2,11,60,61,62} daughter of **George Crosfield**^{2,7,11,61,63,64,65} and **Ann Key**,^{7,11,61,63,64,65} on 18 Mar 1835 in FMH Yealand. Hannah was born on 3 Feb 1810 in Lancaster, Lancashire and died on 21 Apr 1876 in West Derby, Liverpool at age 66. They had ten children: **James, Charles, Anna Margaret, John Crosfield, Catherine, William, Walter, Octavius, Reginald, and Juliet**.

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8-**James Ryley** was born on 9 Jan 1836 in Liverpool.

8-**Charles Ryley**⁵⁸ was born on 29 Sep 1840 in Liverpool.

Noted events in his life were:

- Miscellaneous: Certificate of Removal from Hardshaw West MM, 4 Aug 1858, Devonshire House MM.

8-**Anna Margaret Ryley**⁵⁸ was born on 3 Mar 1842 in Rake Lane, Liverpool.

8-**John Crosfield Ryley**^{58,66} was born on 16 May 1843 in Rake Lane, Liverpool and died on 13 Jun 1878 in Mobile, Alabama, USA at age 35.

8-**Catherine Ryley**^{58,60} was born on 5 Dec 1844 in Rake Lane, Liverpool and died on 19 Feb 1858 in Liverpool at age 13.

8-**William Ryley**⁵⁸ was born on 8 Nov 1845 in Rake Lane, Liverpool.

8-**Walter Ryley**⁵⁸ was born on 17 Mar 1847 in Rake Lane, Liverpool.

8-**Octavius Ryley**⁵⁸ was born on 3 May 1849 in Edge Lane, West Derby, Liverpool and died in 1849 in Edge Lane, West Derby, Liverpool.

8-**Reginald Ryley**⁵⁸ was born on 16 Aug 1851 in Edge Lane, West Derby, Liverpool and died in 1901 in Croydon, Surrey at age 50.

Reginald married **Henrietta Sophia Pike**, daughter of **Ebenezer Pike**^{18,67} and **Lydia Clibborn Pike**,⁶⁷

8-**Juliet Ryley**⁵⁸ was born on 2 Oct 1852 in Edge Lane, West Derby, Liverpool.

7-**Rebecca Ryley** was born in 1799 and died in 1882 at age 83.

Rebecca married **Nicholas Waterhouse**, son of **Nicholas Waterhouse**^{11,68} and **Ann Rogers**,^{11,68} in 1821. Nicholas was born on 25 May 1795 in Liverpool and died on 24 Jun 1828 at age 33. They had four children: **Margaret Ann**, **Rebecca**, **Eliza**, and **Nicholas**.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Cotton Broker of Liverpool.

8-**Margaret Ann Waterhouse** was born on 10 Nov 1822 and died in 1901 at age 79.

8-**Rebecca Waterhouse** was born on 27 Apr 1824 and died in 1906 at age 82.

8-**Eliza Waterhouse** was born on 13 Feb 1826 and died in 1906 at age 80.

8-**Nicholas Waterhouse** was born on 19 Nov 1827 and died in 1888 at age 61.

7-**Eliza Ryley**² was born in 1808.

Eliza married **William Crosfield**,^{2,61} son of **George Crosfield**^{2,7,11,61,63,64,65} and **Ann Key**,^{7,11,61,63,64,65} in 1835. William was born on 26 May 1805 in Lancaster, Lancashire and died in 1881 at age 76. They had four children: **(No Given Name)**, **(No Given Name)**, **(No Given Name)**, and **(No Given Name)**.

Noted events in his life were:

- He worked as a Wholesale Grocer of Liverpool.

8-**Crosfield**

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Descendants of Peter Cropper

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7-Ryley

7-**Thomas Cropper Ryley**² died in 1908 and was buried in FBG Arundel Avenue, Liverpool.

Thomas married **Eleanor Dawson**,² daughter of **Edward Dawson**² and **Ann Wilson**, in 1841 in Lancaster, Lancashire. Eleanor was born on 8 Mar 1821 in Aldcliffe Hall, Lancaster. They had five children: **Catharine Margaret, Constance, Emily, Thomas Cropper**, and **Eleanor Dawson**.

General Notes: Quote: Ida B. Wells "The seven weeks of constant speaking, writing, etc., have forced me to take a rest, and I visited Cambridge University for my sight-seeing trip. The old historic college buildings, the green trees, and greener meadows were a restful picture, and the visit to Newnham college, the girls' annex, was greatly enjoyed because we had tea with Miss Helen Gladstone, daughter of England's grand old man, who is one of the lady principals of the college. My next privilege was to be the guest of the eldest daughter of John Bright, Mrs. Helen Bright Clark, in her charming home in Somerset. From there I went to Southport, down by the sea, for a visit to Mrs. Thomas Cropper Ryley, the wealthy widow of man whose name is well known in anti-slavery annals.

Mr. Ryley was one of the faithful few who stood at Harvey Ward Beecher's side in 1868, when the mob in Liverpool tried to prevent his being heard on an anti-slavery lecture. In 1866, when Mr. Ryley knew that a testimonial was being raised in the United States for Wm. Lloyd Garrison, he undertook the English contribution to that testimonial and collected and forwarded to Jas. Russell Lowell nearly \$1,000. Mrs. Ryley and her daughters exhibit, among their most precious relics, autograph letters from both Mr. Lowell and Mr. Garrison acknowledging receipt of this money; also a copy of the Liberator. Having known and read of these brave anti-slavery workers it is so hard for the English people to believe that for the present emergency no Garrison, Lowell, Phillips, or Beecher responds to the call of duty to rouse the nation. The nation and the race needs somebody to say now as Garrison said in August, 1831, in that first copy of the Liberator: "I will not equivocate. I will not excuse. I will not retreat a single inch, and I will be heard."

8-**Catharine Margaret Ryley** was born on 6 Apr 1846 in Wigan, Lancashire.

8-**Constance Ryley** was born on 26 Jan 1849 in Wigan, Lancashire.

8-**Emily Ryley** was born on 3 Jul 1852 in Wigan, Lancashire.

8-**Thomas Cropper Ryley** died in 1843.

8-**Eleanor Dawson Ryley** died in 1847.

5-Jane Cropper

Jane married **Thomas Hoyle**, son of **Thomas Hoyle** and **Alice Walker**, on 22 Aug 1806. Thomas was born on 6 Nov 1739 in Rossendale, Lancashire and died on 9 Apr 1821 in Mayfield, Manchester at age 81.

4-**Anne Cropper** was born in 1702.

4-**John Cropper**

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